

NO HOLIDAY FOR MEMBERS OF THE NOTRE DAME FIVE

Coach Harper Will Keep the Basketball Lads Busy During the Short Vacation—Have Hard Schedule Ahead.

Because of the stiff opposition that the Notre Dame basketball team will run into after the holidays many of the varsity players have determined to keep up the daily practices during the Christmas vacation. Coach Harper has prepared a hard schedule for the present season and consequently the gold and blue men will have to work like demons to pull out winners in the majority of their games.

Kelleher, Finegan and Fitzgerald hail from the Pacific coast and will not go home for the Christmas vacation. Rupe Mills and Joe Kenny live in the extreme east, in New Jersey and Massachusetts, and they also will remain at Notre Dame. Coach Harper will stay at Notre Dame during the holidays, Harper will have three regulars in tip top shape and these should be well able to take care of the varsity's destinies till Novers and Cahill hit the stride.

The next game is scheduled for Jan. 19 and as classes begin on the sixth the varsity would have but three days' practice. By working the players who stay at Notre Dame during the holidays, Harper will have three regulars in tip top shape and these should be well able to take care of the varsity's destinies till Novers and Cahill hit the stride.

Sure of Tip Off.
In yesterday's practice Coach Harper drilled his men in working the ball to the basket immediately after the tip off. Because of Mills' great height Notre Dame will be almost sure to get the tip off and with good team work between the forwards and center this will aid materially in the scoring. Following the passing practice the regulars lined up against the second string start in a scrimmage. For a time the varsity was unable to get going and the play was even.

Rupe Mills dropped in the first basket to start the scoring for the regulars. Once started the varsity played well together and ran in several baskets. The passing is improving daily but as yet the men have not hit a clip that will carry them to victory in the big games of the season. The track squad has been working hard to get in shape for the indoor season that will open next month. Harper has kept the men humping every afternoon, taking occasional time trials to see how they are progressing. Up to the present no work has been done in the field events or in the hurdles. The men have been practicing so far as they are trying for the dashes or distance events.

Harry Newning, Bergmann and Hardy are training for the 40 yard dash. These men and those who will be developed in the interval meet Harper should be able to pick two or three point winners. Newning and Bergmann have formerly proved their work as varsity sprinters and they are newcomers. Capt. Henahan and Birder have been tuning themselves up for the quarter mile and five-mile. Plant is working daily in the half. Among the others who are out for places in these events are Voelckers and Bartholomew.

Active work in preparation for the hurdles and field events will be taken up after the holidays. Such time as the men have put in so far will serve to limber them up for the long grind that will begin next month.

BOWLING SCORES

STUDEBAKER LEAGUE.

| SKEINS— | | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Hertel | 168 | 136 | 129 | 433 |
| North | 145 | 148 | 148 | 441 |
| McCarthy | 129 | 169 | 136 | 434 |
| Peterson | 157 | 124 | 166 | 441 |
| LaPierre | 147 | 183 | 159 | 489 |
| Handicap | 189 | 189 | 189 | 567 |

AXLES—

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|------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Witwer | 152 | 171 | 173 | 496 |
| Dalton | 163 | 181 | 165 | 509 |
| Thielens | 130 | 123 | 149 | 402 |
| Wilmington | 121 | 128 | 136 | 385 |
| Fulmer | 201 | 147 | 125 | 473 |
| Handicap | 171 | 171 | 171 | 513 |

ELKS' LEAGUE.

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| DEERS— | | | | |
| Mueller | 144 | 154 | 123 | 421 |
| Prechauer | 148 | 175 | 163 | 486 |
| Bauer | 148 | 135 | 165 | 448 |
| Nussbatt | 136 | 161 | 90 | 387 |
| Vergin | 120 | 124 | 228 | 472 |
| Handicap | 210 | 210 | 210 | 630 |

CHARMS—

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|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| Cimmerman | 136 | 145 | 138 | 419 |
| Longshore | 123 | 96 | 142 | 361 |
| Spohnholz | 115 | 129 | 95 | 339 |
| Velby | 83 | 129 | 123 | 335 |
| McCarthy | 143 | 141 | 112 | 396 |
| Handicap | 277 | 277 | 277 | 831 |

ANTLERS' LEAGUE.

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| BUCKTAILS— | | | | |
| Hart | 210 | 209 | 199 | 618 |
| Dolph | 182 | 174 | 189 | 545 |
| Lucas | 198 | 189 | 187 | 574 |
| Casmier | 258 | 180 | 234 | 672 |
| Campbell | 170 | 165 | 198 | 533 |
| Handicap | 28 | 28 | 28 | 84 |

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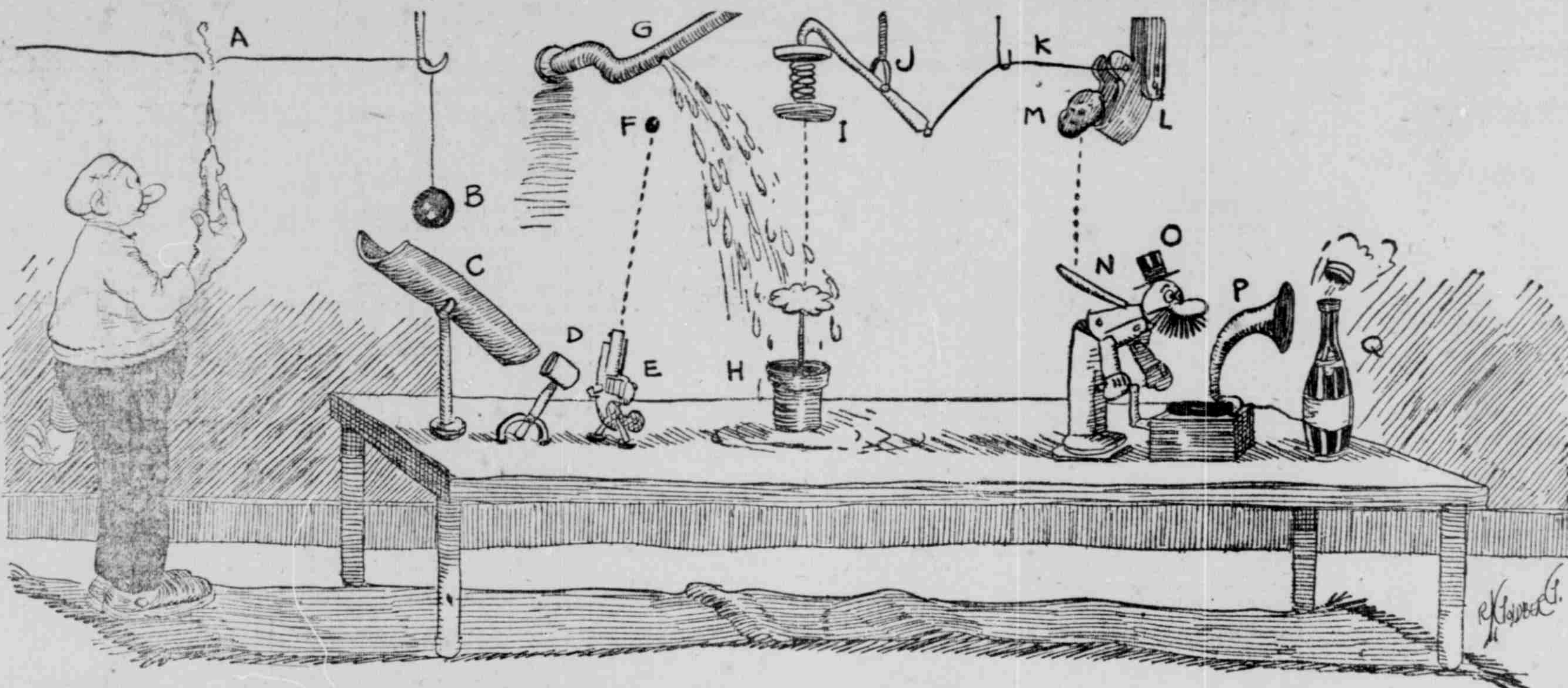
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| Schnelle | 221 | 170 | 166 | 557 |
| Denale | 154 | 154 | 154 | 462 |
| Wallis | 176 | 152 | 175 | 503 |
| Staples | 172 | 147 | 143 | 462 |
| Holland | 193 | 195 | 197 | 585 |
| Handicap | 26 | 26 | 26 | 78 |

LOCAL BOY PICKED.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Dec. 18.—Lelan Rowe, who has played in the backfield for Crawfordsville college's football eleven for three years, today was elected captain for 1914. His home is in South Bend, Ind.

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GREAT DISCOVERY—HOW TO OPEN A BOTTLE OF BEER WITHOUT AN OPENER.—By Goldberg.



HOLD LIGHTED CANDLE UNDER STRING (A) - STRING BURNS, RELEASES BALL (B) WHICH ROLLS DOWN TROUGH (C) AND KNOCKS HAMMER (D) AGAINST TRIGGER OF PISTOL (E) - BULLET (F) MAKES HOLE IN PIPE (G) RELEASING STREAM OF WATER WHICH FALLS ON PLANT (H) - PLANT GROWS UNTIL IT PRESSES UPWARD AGAINST SPRING (I) - LEVER (J) PULLS STRING (K) WHICH UPSETS SHELF (L) HOLDING POTATO (M) - POTATO FALLS ON HANDLE (N) WHICH STARTS DOLL (O) WINDING PHONOGRAPH (P) - PHONOGRAPH SAYS, IN A FEMALE VOICE "GOOD EVENING, BEER" - THE BOTTLE OF BEER, BEING POLITE, NATURALLY TAKES OFF ITS HAT - AND THERE YOU ARE!

GILBERT TO LEAD TOTS THIS YEAR

Lefty Expects to Have No Trouble Getting Away From Denver—Gives Two Zanesville Men a Chance.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 18.—The matter of signing "Lefty" Gilbert as manager of the Terre Haute Central league team for the 1914 season is progressing slowly. There is no hitch in the Terre Haute end of the deal, for the local manager has a contract waiting for "Lefty" to sign just as soon as he is able to obtain his release from the Denver club.

But there is where the hitch comes in. The bosses of the Western league champions are so far apart from each other that it is almost impossible to get any word to them. Manager Jack Hendricks is in Chicago and Owner J. C. McGraw is in California. Gilbert wrote to McGraw about two weeks ago in reference to obtaining his release, but has received no answer. Gilbert said last night that he was not sure that he had addressed McGraw at the right place. He said that his boss was traveling about in California and changed his location frequently. The letter was sent to Ocean Park, Calif. An answer is about due as the mailing time for both ways is about 10 days, five days each way. Gilbert asked for immediate word, but it is possible that McGraw will wait until he can consult Hendricks. And there lies another hitch, for Hendricks also is moving about. He attended the National league meeting in New York and went from there to Chicago. From Chicago he is going west and will then come back east, so it may be that McGraw does not know of his whereabouts.

Gilbert, when asked if he thought his bosses would stop at no movement by which he would step into a manager's shoes, said last night: "Here is the way the matter stands. You see, the Denver club won the pennant in 1911, 1912 and 1913, and missed it in 1910 by half a game. At the end of the 1912 season and at the end of last season they tried to sell the club, but were unsuccessful. They have not given up hope, however, and will make another attempt to dispose of the franchise next year. To do that, they will have to win the pennant again or, at least, finish one, two or three. Naturally, the team sold a number of the stars at the end of last season, as almost any minor league championship team does. When they did that they sold all of their pitchers except Harris and myself. Now, McGraw is not the kind of fellow who would slow anybody's chances to advance, but in a case of this kind, where he wants to sell his team, he is forced to start the season with a number of last year's stars missing, he is going to be up against it. That's the only hitch that I can see that might come up in the deal. Even though he is not the kind of fellow who would slow anybody's chances to advance, Gilbert is doing the work of the manager for the local owners. Yesterday he received the signed contracts of two promising youngsters of Zanesville, Ohio, Howard Cuthbert and Dwight Dowell. Cuthbert is a third baseman of no uncertain ability. He spent last season on the sand lots at Zanesville and attracted a great deal of attention. Dowell is a catcher who weighs in the neighborhood of 170 pounds and possesses a whip to second base that goes with cannon ball speed, and is wonderfully accurate for a semi-pro. Both think that they will make good as managers."

YANIGANS VICTORS IN NOTRE DAME GAME

Goat Anderson's Team Wins Over Dorais' Specials in Tenth Inning Finish.

Goat Anderson's Yanigans went out to Notre Dame last night and tackled Dorais' Specials in an exciting contest which went for ten innings before the counting counter that gave the Yanigans a hard earned 23 to 22 victory was shoved across.

Several features plays were pulled off by both teams. Dice's drive past the outfield, which netted three runs was a big aid to the Yanigans, while the umpiring of Mike Calton was above Central league calibre.

Farley and Dorais worked for the Notre Dame men while Ritter and Myers held down the battery ends for the Yanigans.

TESREAU OF THE GIANTS IS EXPECTED TO PLACE OF ED WALSH AS THE SPITBALL KING

Charles ("Jeff") Tesreau of the Giants finished the season of 1912 as the best pitcher in the National league—judging pitchers by the method since adopted—which shows the pitcher's actual ability and not that of his fielders.

This year Christy Mathewson ranks first and Tesreau third. In 1914 Tesreau with another year's experience, will be recognized as the spitball king Ed Walsh having pitched his last game, unless a miracle is worked in his behalf.

Tesreau was introduced to minor league baseball at the age end of 1912, following months of toil under the tutelage of Wilbert Robinson, while he acquired control of the spitball. Then, when the Giants were crumbling—with Marquard "blown up" after 19 straight wins; with Mathewson wobbling, McGraw took the blankets off his human atomizer and Tesreau pitched wonderful ball—so wonderful that when the post season games began McGraw sent him in to pitch the opening game against "Smoky Joe" Wood.

Tesreau went to the Giants after a wandering career that makes the travels of Ulysses look like an afternoon's stroll. He played in Perryville, Mo., Houston, Galveston, San Antonio and Austin, Tex., Shreveport, La., and Detroit. For Houston he lost every game he pitched by one run—but he lost. At Detroit he was so wild he was given transportation within two days.

Frank Navin, president of the Detroit club, says he didn't pull a "boner" when he released Tesreau, but that he was unable to devote the time necessary to develop the giant. He considers McGraw fortunate in having Robinson, who also gets credit for making a pitcher out of Rube Marquard, Hendricks. And there lies another hitch, for Hendricks also is moving about. He attended the National league meeting in New York and went from there to Chicago. From Chicago he is going west and will then come back east, so it may be that McGraw does not know of his whereabouts.

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PACKEY NOT WORRYING

Wisconsin Officials Are the Ones to Blame, He Says.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Packey McFarland said he was little concerned over the action of the Wisconsin boxing commission in barring him from boxing in the state for a year. "The ruling has no influence in other states," he said, "and I don't care if I never fight in Wisconsin again. If I failed to comply with the law, the commission was wrong in letting me box last week. They are the ones who should be disciplined."

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TWO SCHOOLS CLAIM CITY FOOTBALL TITLE

The football championship of the city schools is being claimed by both the Franklin and Coquillard schools.

Coquillard lays claim to the title on the grounds that the Franklin school has refused to play schools in line for the championship as Coquillard, River Park, Assumption and Elder.

Coquillard defeated the Big school 34-0; Studebaker 30-12; Assumption 25-0, and met one defeat at the hands of River Park, Coquillard's hardest opponent.

The fairness of the game with the Assumption school has been questioned. It is announced that a return game may be arranged by the Assumption school with the Coquillard by phoning 1895 and asking for the business manager.

BOAT LAUNCHED.

DANZIG, Germany, Dec. 18.—The new North German Lloyd liner Columbus, built for trans-Atlantic service, was launched here Wednesday and christened by Crown Prince William and the crown princess.



JEFF TESREAU, SUCCESSOR OF ED WALSH, AS THE WIZARD OF THE SPIT BALL.

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LOOK FOR HARD GAME WITH MISHAWAKA FIVE

Coach Metzler Works Tan and Blue Fast for Tussle Saturday Afternoon.

With Mishawaka scheduled for Saturday afternoon, Coach Metzler is working his basketball men hard in preparation for the battle as the red and white men from the neighboring city make the object of their whole season the whipping of South Bend. If this is accomplished, nothing else matters. Last year, the year of South Bend star five, Mishawaka was shut out in the game played here, without a field goal. But with a team as strong as that of last Saturday, as all the men played good games, and were taken out only because they were completely exhausted, Stanley will probably be used at "standards" guard, as he played the position well last Saturday. This will leave Cottrell and Staples to divide the honors of "running" guard. Forster is improving daily and will be in first class condition for the Mishawaka battle. Capt. Allen VanBenoEsch and Scott will see that the necessary baskets are not wanting for the tan and blue.

PICK BLUFFTON LAWYER

Frank C. Bailey Recommended for U. S. Attorneyship.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 18.—Sens. Kern and Shively called at the department of justice Wednesday and recommended the appointment of Frank C. Bailey of Bluffton as United States district attorney for Indiana. The senators told Atty. Gen. McReynolds that Dist. Atty. Chas. W. Miller desired to resign Jan. 1.

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RED SOX OWNERS WERE FORCED TO SELL THEIR STOCK

Discharge of Stahl Left McAleer and McRoy With No Alternative Except to Buy Out Stahl or Sell Out.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—That the mid-season discharge of Jake Stahl from the management of the Boston club last summer was the direct cause of the change in the ownership of that club which took place recently, eliminating Jim McAleer and Robert McRoy, is said to be an assured fact. The real inside story of the whole affair is here told for the first time.

Although matters within the financial end of the Red Sox had not been going so smoothly the second year of the arrangement which the Red Sox were racing into a league championship and the world's series title as well, there was no surmise from any quarter of a change in the ownership of the club until the time of the annual meeting of the American league in Chicago last month. Pres. McAleer had then made his plans to accompany the world-touring Sox and Glavin and Sacy. McRoy was on his way to Hot Springs to spend a vacation.

At the meeting it was learned, much to the dismay of McAleer and McRoy, that the \$15,000 worth of stock owned by Jake Stahl, but held in Randall's name, might not be voted at the club's annual meeting this month quit in accord with the McAleer interests. There had been a gentlemen's agreement that the westerners who had originally purchased one-half of the Taylor stock should hang together, but with the Taylors having only 50 per cent there could be no control.

And in all cases of tie vote matters would have to run along as they were, which was perfectly acceptable to McAleer and McRoy, but not so to Stahl after he had been figuratively, if not literally, kicked out of the club.

A hurried call of Stahl on the telephone was made. Stahl admitted the truth of the rumor. He wasn't willing to sell his stock to the Taylor interests, perhaps, but he might vote with the Taylors if he so desired. In the light of previous incidents he did not consider the gentlemen's agreement any longer binding.

It then and there became very evident to McAleer and McRoy that their holdings in the club were quite likely to depreciate in value. The only alternative was to buy Stahl's stock or sell their own. They felt that Stahl would hardly play into McAleer's hands by selling excepting at an exorbitant figure, so it was decided to sell.

Then came Stan Johnson's gumshoe visit to Boston, at which time he had his conferences with the Taylors. The Taylors wanted Lanning to buy into the club. Lanning was willing. Johnson was interested two ways. He did not wish to see McAleer or McRoy, who are American league pioneers, lose financially, neither did he wish to have the 50 per cent of the stock fall into hands which were not acceptable to the Taylors, and with whom the team was not likely to work in harmony.

Lanning was acceptable. The Taylors wanted him in the club, and the Red Sox started over, just where they were two years ago, so far as any control on either side is concerned.

Jake Stahl has had his revenge. He forced the man who discharged him from the management of the Boston team out of that club and perhaps out of baseball.

COOPER WILL RASSLE SMITH

Former Assistant Physical Director at Y. M. C. A. to Meet Ex-Notre Dame Champion.

New Year's day will be celebrated by the Y. M. C. A. by two big athletic features. George A. Cooper, formerly assistant physical director, now a student in the Springfield Training college in Massachusetts, will wrestle in the evening with "Dummy" Smith, well known as a former Notre Dame mat champion, and now located at Gary.

In the afternoon the Alumni and the high school basketball teams will meet. While he is in the city for two weeks, "Coop" will conduct short daily wrestling classes and entries may be made by registering with J. B. Miller before Friday night. Tickets will be sold to the meet for New Year's night and reserved seats will be sold after Friday night.

Cooper will arrive in the city probably Friday night. During his short career at college he has won particular note as an athlete, playing guard and tackle on the football squad.

There may be a few wrestling bouts before the big match between amateurs. There will be no admittance charge to the high school games in the afternoon.

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